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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 22, 2005, the Applicants respectfully request further examination and reconsideration of the above captioned patent application in view of the amendments and arguments set forth below.